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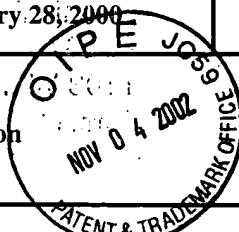
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Invention:

Method For Electrochemical Fabrication



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Applicant makes this submission in response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2002 for the above noted application for which the period of response is extended to October 25, 2002 by submission herewith of a petition for a three month extension of time (and the associated fee).

IN THE CLAIMS

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.121, please substitute for claims 3 – 14 the following set of claims 7 - 9 where claims 3 - 6 and 10 - 14 are to be canceled , and claim 7 is amended. The changes to the amended claim are shown in Exhibit A attached hereto.

7. (Twice Amended) A method of making a supported mask that may be used in modifying a substrate, comprising:

obtaining a support that is not the substrate;
applying at least one layer of dielectric material to said support; and

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